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25X1A9a      8 May. We discussed with them the revised outline and the suggestions that had emanated from the Monday night meeting. [REDACTED] was especially helpful. (He delicately hinted that he detected an FI tint in the newer outline. I told him that couldn't possibly be due to our long association with that activity. The FI tint to which he referred was our inclusion of an appendix for cold war reporting which we feel may have immediate usefulness.)

We do not plan any other meetings with Clandestine Services personnel until we have a first draft for their comments. We will, of course, continue our practice of discussing any specific questions which may arise with the individuals we consider most knowledgeable.

25X1A9a      [REDACTED] is continuing his review of materials prior to starting the actual writing. On Monday, 11 May, he visited AEC; on Tuesday, 12 May, he visited the Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization (Bob appeared somewhat shocked at the confusion there as well as the dearth of materials. However, he is requesting several films which might have training value for use overseas); on Wednesday, 13 May, he, [REDACTED] are attending a lecture on the psychological aspects of nuclear warfare, given at Fort McNair. Thursday Bob and Nick will go to the Pentagon for discussions. This will complete the survey for materials and devices and writing will begin probably this week, starting with the portion devoted to survival.

25X1A      The trip to [REDACTED] was most successful.  
25X1A9a      [REDACTED] took the men sightseeing Monday morning; [REDACTED] took over that afternoon, completing the tour of the base. Monday night after the meeting in "315" "Jib" entertained them at Archie's bar (I went to bed). (Incidental intelligence: Jib gives his empty Drambuie bottles to Benny who uses them for field explosives.) Tuesday morning Benny gave them a field demonstration which was, I believe, the high point of the trip as far as the men were concerned! One other item of interest was [REDACTED] enthusiasm about his OFC training. He said he had been in the Agency seven years -- two in ORR and five in OSI. He said he felt sure that if he had had the benefit of this training five years ago, he could have done a far better job in OSI.

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4. TRAINING MATERIALS [REDACTED] (See page 2, WAR #17, 29 April):

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We have completed compilation of training materials for use by [REDACTED] during his forthcoming TDY [REDACTED]. We collected ninety-nine suitable items from the School of International Communism, Covert Training and from our vault, in addition to suggesting eighteen other DDP-produced items to the desk. Eleven unclassified papers and books in our collection have been approved by CI Staff for use upon Pete's arrival, but CI Staff also ruled that all classified materials "must not be used in the training program until provisional operational approvals have been obtained on the trainees." [REDACTED] which might cause some delay in the training schedule, as the

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[REDACTED]

5. TRAINING MATERIALS FORWARDED:

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a. Tradecraft, Communism, etc: Ninety-nine items, plus 23 pages of handwritten notes to [REDACTED] of NE [REDACTED] for dispatch [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]  
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d. [REDACTED] Three items on loan to [REDACTED] TSS;

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e. Tradecraft Guide: One copy to Capt. [REDACTED] of TSS/  
[REDACTED] one to [REDACTED] TSS/Trng.

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C. ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS:

A memorandum on OTR's assistance to JOT [REDACTED] during the four weeks he spent with us was sent to Mr. [REDACTED], with a copy to C/JOTP.

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